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| In re Application of: | Tom Baehr-Jones | Examiner: | Stevens, Thomas H |
| Application No.: | 09/896,533 | Group Art Unit: | 2123 |
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HETEROGENEOUS
DISTRIBUTED COMPUTATIONS

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION, AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sirs:

This Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) is responsive to the Office Action of July 6, 2005, and is timely filed with a two month extension.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1-24 are pending in the present application. Claims 1 and 9 have been amended.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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